



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S) : Horst Grochowski

TITLE : PATENT FORMETHOD, DEVICE,  
AND INSTALLATION FOR THE  
TREATMENT OF FLUIDS ON AT  
LEAST ONE BULK MATERIAL  
LAYER

APPLICATION NO. : 10/070,723

FILED : June 19, 2002

EXAMINER : Edward Johnson

ART UNIT : 1754

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. : PSEE 2 13393

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The period for reply expires 4 months from the mailing date of the Final Rejection issued December 9, 2005.

The requested extension and fee are as follows:

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<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120.00	\$60.00	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1,020.00	\$510.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1,590.00	\$795.00	
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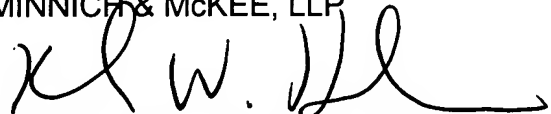
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Respectfully submitted,

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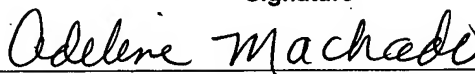
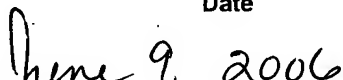
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